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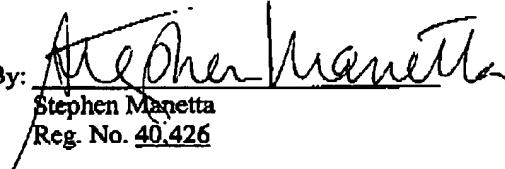
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Sir:

This Amendment Under 37 CFR 1.111 is submitted in response to the Office Action dated June 1, 2005.

Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the Listing Of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.

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